

PRINTER RUSH

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[RUSH] MESSAGE:

There are two(2) renumbered claims 2 and 3 in the index of claims. (Original claims 29 and 69 are both renumbered as claim 2, and original claims 30 and 31 are both renumbered as claim 3). Please advise/correct numbering of claims in the index.

[XRUSH] RESPONSE:

clearly original claim 69 is renumbered claim 20 (the 0 was missing originally). Now corrected (see enclosed copy).

INITIALS: [Signature]

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